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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: SVALBARD SATELLITE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM.

REF: (A) STATE 165449, (B) OSLO 3344

1. PROPOSED SATELLITE COMMUNICATION LINK BETWEEN NORWAY'S MAINLAND AND SVALBARD AWAITING FINAL BUDGET APPROVAL BY PARLIAMENT. ACCORDING TO MR. JOHN RAGNAR VEASTAD, DIRECTOR OF RADIO DIVISION OF NORWEGIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATION, SPECIFICATIONS AND OPEN BID PROPOSALS WILL BE ISSUED IN DECEMBER 1977, AT THE EARLIEST.

2. SOME PROBLEMS HAVE OCCURED WITH MITSUBISHI EQUIPMENT ON RECENT INSTALLATIONS BUT MMST PROBLEMS HAVE BEEN EXPERIENCED WITH SUB CONTRACTED EQUIPMENT FROM COMTEC, U.S.A. NORWEGIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATION IS PLEASED WITH EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED BY FUJITSU. NERA A/S IS STRONG COMPETITOR. RECENTLY TAKEN OVER BY ELEKTRISK BUREAU A/S, NERA HAS THE CAPABILITY TO PROVIDE ANTENNA AND CONVERTERS, BUT IS PRIMARILY LOOKED UPON AS A SYSTEMS INTEGRATOR, UTILIZING EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED BY THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATION.

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3. SOME SUTDIES ON UNIQUE EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN PERFORMED BY THE NORWEGIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATION, BUT WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE PRIOR TO FINAL APPROVAL BY PARLIAMENT. ANGLE ON GROUND ANTENNA AT SVALBARD WILL BE FROM 1 TO 7 DEGREES, DEPENDING ON SATELLITE UTILIZED.
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